

## How They're Made THE SECRET OF THE SAVINGS TO YOU

So many people ask us why it is that we can sell Clothcraft Clothes at such moderate prices while other clothes seem so much higher in price.

Our first answer is, "They do not cost us as much." but there is a better reason than that. The fabrics cost practically the same but Clothcraft Clothes, being made in such enormous quantities by scientific methods, cost much less per suit.

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MEDINA, OHIO

### The Medina Sentinel

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A Minnesota woman bought a membership in the league of nations from a stranger for seven dollars.

Swiss hotel keepers have agreed to raise all hotel prices at least twenty per cent. Now hear the tourists' yodel.

A doctor and an undertaker were seen conferring on the street this week. You can't tell what conferences may bring forth in these days of strikes.

A New York police inspector's automobile has been stolen three times within three months, and now an unfeeling newspaper wants to know whether he's ever tried notifying the police about it.

A bed in which George IV, the Duke of Wellington and Jefferson Davis slept, has just been sold in London for \$250. Oh well, why not? It costs almost as much as that to get a bed in a first-class American hotel.

#### HOME BUILDING CAMPAIGN

The home is the world's greatest savings bank. Industry and thrift are attributes of any man who owns a plot of ground and builds a home on it.

Homes yield the highest interest of any bank in the world. Besides being a paying investment in a financial way, a home creates greater earning ability. The home owner is a citizen of the community. He is interested in seeing property value increase. He is also a better workman.

It is estimated that one million new homes are needed in the United States. All realize to some extent how urgent is the need for more homes. Building is delayed in the hope that soon labor conditions will become more favorable.

Waiting for reduction in construction costs is wasting time, for prices of materials are not likely to decline until there is a reduction in wage scales. Price of building materials is made up of labor costs plus the cost of raw material. Production and transportation of raw materials are labor items. There can be no drop in selling prices without the corresponding drop in production and transportation costs.

#### POPULATION

The federal census naturally arouses new thoughts of civic and national greatness. Every city, town and village is interested in knowing whether it is passing its rivals, and eagerly awaits the earliest reports. All city dwellers want to know the relative rank of big cities. Every state wants to know how it compares with other states. And every American wonders what the grand total will show for the country as a whole, when the big job is finished some months hence.

The pride that Americans have always taken in their country's numerical growth is joined, in these latter years, with a feeling of wonder, and almost of incredulity. A hundred years ago the United States had fewer people than the state of New York has now. Fifty years ago the national population was less than the present population of five states—New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois—which, great as they are, were not dominating enough to swing the last national election. And how small now seems the 1910 total of 92,757,000 people! Today, perhaps, we have 20,000,000 more than that. Which is to say that in one decade we have added nearly as many

people as there were in the country in 1850.

The population has long been increasing, on an average, more than 20 per cent every ten years. Compound 110,000,000 at 20 per cent for a few decades and see how it mounts up! In 50 years it will give us about 275,000,000. How much in 100 years?

So far we may be able to reckon with a fair degree of probability. But take one thousand years. Seven nations have lived longer than that. Who, by any triumph of arithmetic or imagination, can foresee the possibilities of this country and this continent in the year 2920?

#### THE BLOOD STRIKE

One of the strangest strikes on record occurred a few days ago in New York City. It was a strike of professional "blood-donors."

The supplying of blood to hospitals for transfusion has become an organized occupation, and is organized, apparently, like any other, with a standard rate of pay. The members of this organization, strong, healthy men who can stand a considerable loss of blood at frequent intervals, were formerly paid at the rate of \$25 a pint for the pure fluid. Lately they demanded an increase and the price was raised to \$35 a pint, then \$40. When they proceeded to demand \$55 a pint, the hospitals refused to pay it, and they "walked out."

Their strike was stopped by the girl nurses—or rather, by one of them. This volunteer strike-breaker, Miss Lillian Olga Jedlicka, a student nurse at the Flower Hospital, hearing of the situation and learning of an emergency case that needed blood, promptly offered to furnish a pint of her own for nothing. She did so, and in two hours was attending a clinic as if nothing had happened. The other nurses stood ready to follow her example. That settled it—the men resumed their jobs at the old rate.

What next? If modern surgery continues its miraculous pumping and carpentering of the human body, we may soon have people furnishing a staple supply in interstitial glands, skin, bone, muscular tissue and all kinds of corporal odds and ends for grafting on other bodies. And will they form unions, and operate according to regular union methods?

#### BANK ADVERTISING

It is believed by bankers generally that the habit of advertising freely and attractively in the newspapers has done much to popularize banks with the public. As a result, a large class of individuals who were formerly disinclined to deal with banks now not only deposit their money but turn naturally to the bank as a reliable business agent.

Newspaper advertising on the part of banks undoubtedly has done much to remove the cloud of mystery which overawed many a possible depositor in the old days, but it is not only in the newspaper that the up-to-date bank now does its advertising. Its windows are attractive with posters, with terse epigrams on the value of savings, and with piles of little coin banks to encourage the small financier to hoard his pennies and nickels.

Live questions of the day are often taken up by the bank in readable pamphlets and distributed among depositors and throughout the neighborhood. The housewife is given hints as to the safe disposal of her resultant savings. The foreigner sees printed in his own tongue the story of what the bank can do for him.

The benefit of this advertising to both bank and depositor is too obvious to need explanation. Any agency which helps to bring the banks and the people into closer contact works like the quality of mercy, good to him who gives and him who takes.

Patronize Our Advertisers

#### A WONDERFUL WORLD

A little more praise and a little less blame,  
A little more virtue, a little less shame,  
A little more thought for the other man's rights,  
A little less self in our chase for delights,  
A little more loving, a little less hate,  
Are all that is needed to make the world great.

A little more boosting, a little less jeering,  
A little more trusting, a little less fearing,  
A little more patience in trouble and pain,  
A little less willing at times to complain,  
A little more kindness worked into the strife,  
Are all that is needed to glorify life.

A little more honor a little less greed,  
A little more service, a little less creed,  
A little more courage when pathways are rough,  
A little more action, a little less bluff,  
A little more kindness by you and by me,  
And, oh, what a wonderful world it would be.

#### NUMBER, PLEASE

The telephone girl sits in her chair and listens to everyone, everywhere. She hears all the gossip, absorbs all the news, she knows who is happy and who has the blues. She knows all our sorrows, she knows all our joys; she knows all the girls who are chasing the boys. She's hep to our troubles and wise to our strife; she knows every man who is beating his wife.

She knows every time we are out with the boys; she hears the excuse that each fellow employs. She knows all the women who have a dark past; she can pick out the joshers inclined to be fast. In fact, there's a secret 'neath each saucy curl of the roguish eyed, smiling-voiced telephone girl.

If the telephone girl would tell all she knows, she would make of our friends the most bitter of foes. She would sow a small wind that would soon be a gale, engulf us in trouble and land us in jail. She could let go a story which (gaining in force) would cause many women to get a divorce; she could get all the churches mixed up in a fight and turn every day into sorrowing night; in fact, she could keep the whole town in a stew, if she'd tell a tenth part of the things that she knew.

Our brain becomes dizzy and starts in to whirl when we think what we owe to the telephone girl.

#### WHY IS IT?

Why is it  
That if there  
Is a rut  
In the road  
Every autoist  
Insists in driving  
His machine  
In that rut  
Despite the fact  
That he is making  
The road  
Harder to travel  
When by driving  
To one side  
Or the other  
He and the others  
Who pass over the road  
Could easily  
Keep it level?  
Will you please  
Answer?  
That's all.  
Thank you.

#### MEDINA GIRL DIES

Mrs. Fred Tibbets, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin of West Smith road, died Thursday of last week at Fairview hospital in Cleveland, following an operation. Burial was held in that city Saturday.

Mrs. Tibbets, who is a sister of Mrs. R. W. Crites, is survived by a husband and 13-year-old son, Claude. She had been ill for more than a week.

### GLEANINGS

Neighborhood News Notes  
Gathered From Exchanges

Orrville is to have a fire siren.

Ashland is raising a fund to establish a rest room in that city.

The annual reunion of the Lodi high school alumni association was held at the Taylor Inn in that city last Saturday.

The Lodi Mill & Elevator Co. of Lodi is now operating its new coal unloader. It unloads at the rate of a ton each minute.

The United Dairy Co. of Lodi recently installed a large new steam engine and boiler. Carpenters are putting up a building to house this equipment.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Judd, 53 years old, of Willard, died recently in the Sandusky hospital after an illness of several weeks. She left a husband and two sons.

A number of the stockholders of the Lodi Hospital association met in that city recently and perfected the organization. By-laws were adopted and five directors were elected. Stock amounting to about \$13,000 has been sold, about 200 persons holding shares. The five directors are Dr. J. E. Waite, J. W. Harris, C. M. Fetzer, B. H. Starbird and H. Bennader.

Twenty-two students graduated from the Lodi schools last week, the largest class in the history of that city.

The commencement exercises of the Orrville graduates were held Thursday in the town hall in that city. Fifteen boys and ten girls received diplomas.

Mrs. John C. Nokes, an old and respected citizen of Berea, died recently in a hospital at Dayton, Fla., following an accident in which she was run down by an auto. The remains were brought to her old home and funeral services held in the Congregational church, burial being at Woodvale. She is survived by five children, all grown.

Berea, with the help of surrounding towns, is to establish a hospital at that point, which is to be known as the Kirkland Memorial hospital.

The board of education at Rittman sent contracts to the teachers for next season at advanced salaries, but to date none has been returned signed.

The Rittman postmaster's salary has been reduced \$100 per year. Four applicants took the examination at Wadsworth for this position which now pays \$1,650 annually.

Shelby has a smallpox epidemic. All public meetings have been postponed indefinitely. Polk is also said to have one or two cases.

Mr. Gabler, formerly superintendent of schools at Valley City, has been appointed to that position at Rittman at a salary of \$2,000 per year. He is now attending the Ohio State university. The retiring superintendent, Landis, will take a course of study at Columbia university.

#### CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

County Health Officer R. A. Brintall reports one case of smallpox in the Lodi swamp and four cases of diphtheria at Litchfield. He does not apprehend a general epidemic.

#### WILL NOMINATE COX

The name of Gov. James M. Cox will be presented to the Democratic national convention by Judge James G. Johnson of the supreme court of Ohio.

Judge Johnson is regarded as one of the most eloquent speakers in public life in Ohio, and is the oldest member of the supreme court in point of service. He was elected in 1910 and re-elected in 1916. His home is at Springfield.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET

The Medina county Sunday school convention will be held at Wadsworth Tuesday and Wednesday, June 1 and 2. This will be the 55th annual convention and an unusually big attendance is predicted.

## Say It with Flowers

Flowers for weddings, birthdays, anniversaries, etc.

We have enlarged our greenhouses and can now take care of our increased business.

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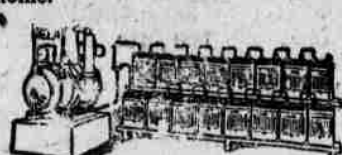
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This Bank, as a member of the Federal Reserve System, assures to depositors the unassailable strength and ability to serve which membership brings.

We cordially invite you to deposit your Savings with us, as well as to transact any other banking business which you may have. In addition to safety for your funds, you obtain the highest character of prompt, courteous and efficient service.

**The Old Phoenix National Bank**  
MEDINA, OHIO.

## Things You Will Need For Housecleaning

Murphy's Oil Soap, Samoline Cleaner, Carpet Beaters, Carpet Tacks, Window Brushes, Stove Polish, Climax Wall Paper Cleaner, Floor Mops for cleaning and polishing, Johnson's Wa Liquid Veneer, Wax-it, Brooms, Wall Dust etc.

## Other Seasonable Goods

Lawn Rakes  
Lawn Mowers  
Garden Tools  
Poultry Netting  
Screen Doors  
Window Screens  
Spray Pumps  
Spraying Materials

Sheep Shears  
Pruning Shears  
Carpenter Tools  
Red Top Fence Posts  
Oliver Chilled Plows  
Black Hawk Spreaders  
Grass Seeders  
Wheel Barrows  
Fishing Tackle

## Lords of Creation

Spring housecleaning time is here, and if you feel disposed to "paint things red," don't do it but aim at higher standards, and gloss over your baser inclinations by the use of at least two coats of

**Lowe Bros. High Standard Paint**  
Let us supply your needs.

## A. Munson & Son

"Dad and I"

Store Closes at Six O'clock



## Does Your Mower Tear or Cut?

(THERE IS A DIFFERENCE)

That beautiful, soft, velvety effect is only obtained by using a mower that cuts.

We have for your selection mowers of the three leading makes, and you will have no difficulty in making a choice.

It is a pleasure to care for a lawn with a good mower, and while we have a large stock of mowers now, they are going fast, and our stock cannot be replaced this year.

**OATMAN'S HARDWARE**

Durable Wares at Right Prices